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SUBJ: IRAN PLEASED WITH PROGRESS OF BORDER NEGOTIATIONS WITH IRAQ

1. REFLECTING PROGRESS ACHEIVED IN BORDER NEGOTIATIONS, MFA
OFFICIAL DEALING WITH IRAQI AFFAIRS AGREED TO BRIEF POLCOUNS
AFTER REBUFFING NUMEROUS PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS TO SEE HIM.
REZA GHASSEMI GAVE AUTHORITATIVE PRESENTATION, AS HE TOOK
PART IN HOVEYDA AND KHALATBARY VISITS TO BAGHDAD. HE ADMITTED
THAT PRESS ACCOUNTS OF MAY 19-21 TRIPARTITE TALKS IN BAGHDAD
HAD NOT GIVEN IMPRESSION OF FIRM AGREEMENT ON MAJOR ISSUES,
BUT NOTED THAT WATER BOUNDARY SDELIMITATION COMPLETED AND
ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF 1,353 KILOMETER LAND BORDER DEMARCATED.
HE EXPECTED THAT REMAINDER OF 513 BORDER MARKERS WOULD BE
PLACED BY MAY 16 IN ORDER TO BE READY FOR FINAL AGREEMENT
WHEN FOREIGN MINISTERS OF TWO COUNTRIES MET WITH THEIR
ALGERIAN COUNTERPART MAY 18. SECURITY CCORDINATION ALONG
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BORDER WAS PROCEEDING SMOOTHLY, WITH CONTROL POINTS BEING

ESTABLISHED IN KURDISH AREAS. ALGERIAN
OBSERVERS WOULD PROBABLY BE WITHDRAWN AFTER MAY 18.

2. GHASSEMI ESTIMATED THERE WERE NOW 134,000 KURDISH
REFUGEES IN IRAN. MOVEMENT BACK TO IRAQ WAS ACCELERATING,
AND GOI HAD IMPRESSION THAT TOTAL MIGHT BE DOWN TO
100-120,000 RANGE BY END OF APRIL. KURDS WHO WANTED TO
REMAIN IN IRAN WOULD BE ASSIMILATED AND EMPLOYMENT WOULD BE
OFFERED TO ALL WITH NEEDED SKILLS, PROVIDED THEY PASSED
ROUTINE SCREENING.
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